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☒ Article 19 amendments  
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\_\_\_\_\_ PCT/IB/302  
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\_\_\_\_\_ Power of Attorney/Change of address

DATE:

35 U.S.C. 371 - Receipt of Request (PTO - 1309 Transmittal letter)

Date acceptable oath/declaration received

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Date complete 35 U.S.C. 371 requirements met

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DO/EO 903 Date of completion of Notification of Acceptance

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DO/EO 917 Date of completion of Notification of A Defective Oath or Declaration

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